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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

In the Specification:

On page 1, after the first paragraph, please insert the following:

-- STATEMENT AS TO FEDERALLY SPONSORED RESEARCH

This invention was made with U.S. Government support under National Institutes of Health grant No. R01CA48939. The government has certain rights in the invention. --

A replacement page 7 of the Specification is attached to this Amendment.



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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following documents:

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Second Preliminary Amendment;

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Replacement page 1 of Specification; and

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Applicants believe that no additional fees are due in connection with this submission. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 18989-012CON. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal Letter is enclosed.

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